

Table 7. Number and percent distribution of emergency department visits with corresponding standard errors, by primary diagnosis: United States, 2000

Major disease category and ICD-9-CM code range ¹	Number of visits in thousands	Standard error in thousands	Percent distribution	Standard error of percent
All visits	108,017	4,529	100.0	...
Infectious and parasitic diseases	001–139	3,223	221	3.0
Neoplasms	140–239	277	39	0.3
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases, and immunity disorders	240–279	1,574	146	1.5
Mental disorders	290–319	3,060	203	2.8
Diseases of the nervous system and sense organs	320–389	5,788	337	5.4
Diseases of the circulatory system	390–459	4,397	244	4.1
Diseases of the respiratory system	460–519	12,697	753	11.8
Diseases of the digestive system	520–579	6,294	325	5.8
Diseases of the genitourinary system	580–629	4,991	309	4.6
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	680–709	3,026	226	2.8
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710–739	5,804	306	5.4
Symptoms, signs, and ill-defined conditions	780–799	17,720	909	16.4
Injury and poisoning	800–999	31,063	1,408	28.8
Supplementary classification	V01–V82	3,421	340	3.2
All other diagnoses ²	1,864	138	1.7	0.1
Unknown ³	2,817	282	2.6	0.3

... Category not applicable.

0.0 Quantity more than zero, but less than 0.05.

¹Based on the *International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-9-CM)* (13).²Includes diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs (280–289); complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium (630–677); congenital anomalies (740–759); and certain disorders originating in the perinatal period (760–779).³Includes blank diagnoses, uncodable diagnoses, and illegible diagnoses.

NOTE: Numbers may not add to totals because of rounding.

Table 8. Number and percent distribution of emergency department visits with corresponding standard errors, by selected primary diagnoses: United States, 2000

Primary diagnosis and ICD-9-CM code(s) ¹	Number of visits in thousands	Standard error in thousands	Percent distribution	Standard error of percent
All visits	108,017	4,529	100.0	...
Contusion with intact skin surface	920–924	5,054	311	4.7
Open wound, excluding head	874–897	4,675	260	4.3
Acute upper respiratory infection, excluding pharyngitis	460–461,463–466	4,211	338	3.9
Abdominal pain	789.0	3,612	251	3.3
Chest pain	786.5	3,603	251	3.3
Sprains and strains of neck and back	846–847	2,735	185	2.5
Open wound of head	870–873	2,694	168	2.5
Spinal disorders	720–724	2,586	166	2.4
Fractures, excluding lower limb	800–819	2,538	181	2.3
Otitis media and eustachian tube disorders	381–382	2,512	206	2.3
Sprains and strains, excluding ankle and back	840–844,845.1,848	2,500	157	2.3
Asthma	493	1,835	147	1.7
Superficial injury	910–919	1,784	147	1.7
Chronic and unspecified bronchitis	490–491	1,756	193	1.6
Rheumatism, excluding lower back	725–729	1,720	131	1.6
Urinary tract infection	599.0	1,640	149	1.5
Heart disease, excluding ischemic	391–392.0,393–398,402,404,415–416,420–429	1,603	150	1.5
Acute pharyngitis	462	1,574	166	1.5
Sprains and strains of ankle	845.0	1,375	122	1.3
Arthropathies and spinal disorders	710–719	1,333	101	1.2
All other diagnoses	56,678	2,321	52.5	0.5

... Category not applicable.

¹Based on the *International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-9-CM)* (13). However, certain codes have been combined in this table to describe the utilization of ambulatory care services.

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